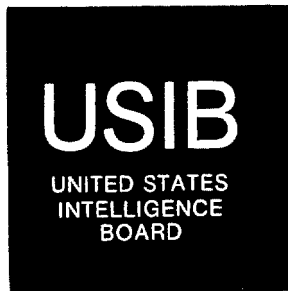


~~Top Secret~~

~~No Foreign Dis~~



Watch Committee

NIC

Masters

Watch Report

DRAFT—Submitted for USIB Approval

NIC MASTERS

Handle via Comint Channels

~~Top Secret~~

Meeting No. 1267

4 December 74

Copy No. 73

Warning Notice
Sensitive Intelligence Sources and Methods Involved

NATIONAL SECURITY INFORMATION
Unauthorized Disclosure Subject to Criminal Sanctions

Classified by: 62-0480
Exempt from General Declassification
Schedule of E.O. 11652, Exemption
Category 5B(1),(2),(3)
Automatically Declassified on
Approval of DCI

~~TOP SECRET COMBDRG~~ NIC No. 74-0246
WATCH COMMITTEE DRAFT WATCH REPORT
of the
UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

No. 1267

5
December 1974
(As of 1030 EST)

The Committee concludes that there will be
no military attack on the United States or
its overseas forces in the near future.
Subjects of immediate concern are discussed
below.

25X1X7

25X1X7

I. Middle East

~~TOP SECRET COMBDRG~~ We believe that the extension of the UNDOF mandate
on the Syrian front for another six months has somewhat
reduced the likelihood of hostilities for the near term.

25X1D1a

~~TOP SECRET COMBDRG~~ The Iraqi government's offensive against the Kurds
in northeast Iraq appears to have spent itself for the
winter season, but the rebels seem to be planning attacks
in an effort to regain territory they lost to the Iraqis.
Some danger of a military confrontation between Iraqi
and Iranian forces along their common border will remain

TOP SECRET UMBRA

4 December 1974

25X1D1a

reinforces the evidence [REDACTED]

that the Communists are planning a significant intensification
of the level of fighting in South Vietnam during the coming
months. [REDACTED]

25X1X7

25X1X7 [REDACTED]

TOP SECRET UMBRA